

Substitute Bill No. 948

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AN ACT CONCERNING DIGITAL DISCOUNTS TO REDUCE THE COST OF TEXTBOOKS AND OTHER EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective January 1, 2018) The Office of Higher
- 2 Education may assist the Board of Regents for Higher Education and
- 3 The University of Connecticut in establishing guidelines that
- 4 encourage public and independent institutions of higher education to
- 5 implement programs that reduce the cost of textbooks and other
- 6 educational resources for students.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following			
sections:			
Section 1	January 1, 2018	New section	

HED Joint Favorable Subst.